

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

In re Application of: Alan R. Rapacki, et al

For: MANUFACTURING CONDUITS FOR USE IN PLACING A TARGET VESSEL IN FLUID COMMUNICATION WITH A
 SOURCE OF BLOOD

Serial No.: 10/674,806

Filed: 09-29-2003



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Dear Sir:

This is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant dated March 30, 2007. The notice required only the canceled section of the non-compliant amendment be submitted. Text for new claim 38 is presented in clean form without underlining.

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Respectfully submitted,

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